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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 3518

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR, RP

SUBJ: REDUCTION IN PHILIPPINE VEGOIL DUTIES

A) STATE 99915; B) MANILA 5616 (TOFAS 56)

DUTY REDUCTION INQUIRED ABOUT IN REFTEL A REPORTED BY  
REFTEL B. THESE VEGETABLE OILS HAVE NOT BEEN ON LIST  
OF BANNED IMPORT ITEMS. HIGH LEVEL OF IMPORT DUTIES  
HAS IN ITSELF BEEN SUFFICIENT TO LIMIT IMPORTS, SO  
THAT LIBERALIZATION OF IMPORT RESTRICTIONS SUCH AS  
LICENSING IS NOT INVOLVED.  
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## Message Attributes

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